

New Jersey Turnpike Authority
Garden State Parkway Division
Woodbridge, New Jersey

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the New Jersey Turnpike Authority for:

GARDEN STATE PARKWAY-CONTRACT NO. M-107
GUIDE RAIL MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR, BETWEEN MILEPOST 0.0 AND MILEPOST 172.4

The work performed under this Contract consists of furnishing the required labor, equipment and materials necessary to repair and maintain steel beam guide rail along the Garden State Parkway mainline roadway and ramps, between Milepost 0.0 and Milepost 172.4. The work shall include performing on-call service repairs to damaged or deficient guide rail upon notification from the Authority. The work shall also include providing traffic control devices for the maintenance and protection of traffic as required during the performance of the repair work and other related work as detailed in the Contract Documents. Contractors will be expected to be capable of mobilizing a minimum of two independent work crews at one time, complete with sufficient traffic control devices and full lane closing capabilities. The work shall be performed over a two (2) year period from December 1, 2003 through November 30, 2005.

Bids will be received at the Garden State Parkway's Executive Offices in Woodbridge, New Jersey, which are located at the Intersection of the Garden State Parkway and Route 184, on **Thursday, October 2, 2003 at 2:00 PM** Prevailing Local Time, and will be opened immediately thereafter and publicly read.

Bids will be accepted only from bidders who, prior to the delivery of the Proposal to the Authority, are prequalified with the New Jersey Turnpike Authority or the New Jersey Department of Transportation, Bureau of Construction Services, Procurement Division. Bidders must also be registered with the New Jersey Department of Labor, Division of Wage and Hour Compliance, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.48 et seq. (the Public Works Contractor Registration Act), at the time of bid.

Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, c.127. Pursuant to these regulations, the successful bidder shall agree to afford equal opportunity employment in the performance of the contract in accordance with the established affirmative action rules.

Contract documents for the proposed work are on file in the Parkway Division's Engineering Department located at their Executive Offices in Woodbridge, New Jersey and may be inspected and/or picked up by prospective bidders between 9:00AM and 4:00PM. Complete contract documents will be furnished to prospective bidders upon payment of **Twenty Five Dollars (\$25.00)** for each set of documents requested. Checks for Contract Documents must be made payable to the "**New Jersey Turnpike Authority**". This fee will **NOT** be refunded. Contract Documents will **NOT** be mailed nor will partial sets of Contract Documents be made available.

Bids must be made upon the Proposal Forms furnished by the Authority in the manner designated in the Specifications; must be accompanied by a Proposal Bond executed by the Bidder and a qualified Corporate Surety in an amount not less than fifty percent (50%) of the bid; and **must be hand delivered on the date and at the time stated above**, enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing, on the

outside, the name and address of the bidder and the work bid, i.e., "GSP Contract No. M-107". A specially addressed envelope for this purpose will be furnished with the Contract Documents for the bidder's convenience. Bids not enclosed in sealed envelopes will be considered informal and will not be opened. Proposals will not be accepted after the receipt of bids have been declared closed by the Presiding Officer. The Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Inquiries regarding the Contract Documents can be directed to Elizabeth Johnson, P.E. at (732) 442-8600 Ext. 6496. Additional information may be obtained from the Parkway's web-site at <http://www.state.nj.us/turnpike/gsp-buss.htm>.

New Jersey Turnpike Authority
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Project Cost Range: \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000
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